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SELECTION FROM A SCRAP BOOK.

Cover them over with beautiful flowers,
Deck them with garlands, those brothers of ours.
Lying so silent, by night and by day.
Sleeping the years of their manhood away—
Years they had marked for the joys of the brave;
Years they must waste in the mouldering grave.
All the bright laurels they waited to bloom
Fell from their hopes when they fell to the tomb.
Give them the meed they have won in the past;
Give them the honors their future forecast;
Give them the chaplets they won in the strife;
Give them the laurels they lost with their life.
Cover them over—yes, cover them over—
Parent, husband, brother and lover!
Crown in your hearts those dead heroes of ours,
And cover them over with beautiful flowers.

Cover the faces that motionless lie
Shut from the view of the beautiful sky—
Faces once decked with the smiles of the gay,
Faces now marked with the frown of decay;
Eyes that looked friendship and love to your own,
Lips that the thoughts of affection made known,
Brows you have soothed in the hour of distress,
Cheeks you have brightened by tender caress.
Oh! how they gleamed at the nation's first cry?
Oh! how they streamed when they bade you good-bye?
Oh how they gleamed in the battle's fierce flame?
Oh? how they paled when the death angel came!
Cover them over—oh? cover them over—
Parent, husband, brother and lover?
Kiss in your hearts these dead heroes of ours,
And cover them over with beautiful flowers.

Cover their hands that are lying untried,
Crossed on the bosom and low by the side—
Hands to you, mother, in infancy shown;
Hands by you, father, clasped close to your own;
Hands where you, sister, when tried and dismayed,
Hung for protection and counsel and aid;
Hands that you, brother, in loyalty knew,
Hands that you, wife, wrung in bitter adieu;
Bravely the musket and sabre they bore,
Words of affection they wrote in their gore.
Grandly they grasped for a garland of light,
Catching the mantle of death-darkened night.
Cover them over, oh, cover them over,
Parent, husband, brother and lover.
Crown in your hearts those heroes of ours,
And cover them over with beautiful flowers.

Cover the feet, that, all weary and torn,
Hither by comrades and tenderly borne,
Feet that have trodden the flowery ways
Close by your own in the old happy days;
Feet that have pressed in life's opening morn
Roses of pleasure and death's poisoned thorn.
Swiftly they rushed to the help of the right,
Firmly they stood in the shock of the fight.
Ne'er shall the enemy's hurrying tramp
Summon them forth from their death-guarded camp.
Ne'er till the bugle of Gabriel sound
Will they come out of their couch in the ground.
Cover them over, yes, cover them over,
Parent, brother, husband and lover!
Rough were the paths of those heroes of ours—
Now cover them over with beautiful flowers.

Cover the hearts that have beaten so high,
Beaten with hopes that were doomed but to die,
Hearts that have burned in the heat of the fray,
Hearts that have yearned for the homes far away.
Hearts that beat high in the charge's loud tramp,
Hearts that fell low in the prison's foul damp.
Once they were swelling with courage and will;
Now they are lying all pulseless and still.
Once they were glowing with friendship and love;
Now their great souls have gone soaring above.
Bravely their blood to the nation they gave!
Then in her bosom they found them a grave.
Cover them over, yes, cover them over,
Parent and husband, brother and lover!
Kiss in your hearts those dead heroes of ours,
And cover them over with beautiful flowers.

Cover the thousands who sleep far away,
Sleep where their friends cannot find them to-day.
They whom in mountain and hillside and dell
Rest where they wearied and lie where they fell.
Softly the grass-blades creep round their repose,
Sweetly above them the wild flowret blows.
Zephyrs of freedom fly gently o'erhead,
Whispering prayers for the patriot dead.
So in our mind we'll name them once more,
So in our hearts we'll cover them o'er.
Roses and lillies and violets blue
Bloom in our souls for the brave and the true.
Cover them over, yes, cover them over,
Parent' husband, brother and lover.
Think of those far away heroes of ours,
And cover them over with beautiful flowers.

When the long years have rolled slowly away,
E'en to the dawn of earth's funeral day,
When at the archangel's trumpet and tread
Rise up the faces and forms of the dead;
When the great world it's last judgment awaits,
When the blue sky shall swing open its gates,
And our long columns march silently through,
Past the great Captain for final review,
Then from the blood that has flowed for the right
Crowns shall spring upward, untarnished and bright;
Then the glad ears of each war-martyred son
Proudly shall hear the good tidings, "well done."
Blessings for garlands shall cover them over,
Parent and husband and brother and lover,
God will reward those dead heroes of ours,
And cover them over with beautiful flowers.
—[*Carleton.*

MAGIC IN THE EAST.

Astonishing Feats of a Hindoo Juggler.

I was smoking my chibouk on the wide veranda of a bungalow or Government inn, one day in Northern India. It was in January, but the weather was intensely hot, and my Dak gahrra, with its rough, untrained horses, had stopped here for a mid-day rest. My Hindostanee servant, with an unpronounceable name, whom I had nicknamed "Handy Andy," on account of certain unhandy ways, and a merry twinkle of the eye that indicated no lack of Hibernian humor, came up to the porch and, with a salaam, said: "Would Sahib like to see conjurer make tricks?" "Yes; bring him on." I suspected the fellow was consulting his own fondness for amusement more than mine, but it was too hot to sleep, and I was ready for anything that would kill time. A tall, fine looking Hindoo, with a clear cut, intelligent face, and eyes that looked straight at you, with no indications of "ways that are dark and tricks that are vain," next appeared on the scene. He was dressed in the ordinary long, white robe of his race, with a rich cashmere shawl wound round his waist, and his salutation and manner were respectful, without the least shade of servility. He was followed by two attendants, carrying the various implements of his profession, which they spread out before him, and a dozen or two hangers-on of all ages grouped themselves at a respectable distance to enjoy a free show. The ground in front of the bungalow was paved with large, flat stones, and upon one of these the conjurer seated himself, curling his leg under him in Oriental fashion, and asked in Hindostanee: "What special trick would the sahib like to see?" At the same time he bared his arms, long, well-formed, but not muscular, and untied his shawl to open his robe and show me that there was no concealed mechanism about his person. I told him through Handy Handy that I would like him to perform the Mango trick—which I had seen once before at Delhi without being able to penetrate its mysteries. He nodded assent, and taking a box about ten inches square, filled it with earth, and in it planted a mango-nut, about the size of an English walnut, having first handed it to me for examination. He then made a framework of tripod, of three sticks, six or eight feet long and tied together at the top, placed it over the box and covered the whole with a piece of white muslin. The only thing thus far that looked like charlatanism was a muttered incantation, rolling up his eyes, with outstretched palms, as if appealing to some higher power for aid.

Again seating himself not more than ten feet in front of the veranda he went through the most astonishing performances of slight-of-hand tricks—such as swallowing swords, tossing balls in the air, drawing from his mouth colored ribbons of interminable length, etc., some of which I had seen before, but never in daylight. He borrowed my watch, and after mashing it to flinders, mysteriously returned it unharmed to my pocket. He burned my handkerchief, then poured from a vial some elixir upon the ashes, and the linen was restored to me without any smell of fire upon its hem. These and many other equally curious things he did for nearly an hour, with the most intense gravity of manner and an air of candor that would disarm suspicion. My eyes were wide open and I watched him so intently as scarcely to wink, and yet I was unable to detect even a single flaw, or account for even one of these transformations.

Some of the tricks he repeated at my request, but the result was the same. At the critical moment his motions were quick as lightning. In all cases where fire was used I noticed that he either poured some liquid or threw a whitish powder upon the flames, which produced for an instant a dense smoke, and left a pungent aromatic odor in the air.

In the meantime the mango tree was growing. Four times, at intervals of ten or fifteen minutes, he raised the cover to report progress. The first time a sprout three or four inches long appeared, at which he expressed satisfaction, and carefully watered it with a small sprinkling pot. The next time it was a foot high, and the leaves seemed just forming. The third time it was fully two feet high, and appeared to be growing most vigorously. At the close of his other performances he tossed aside the enveloping cloth and tripod of sticks, and lo! there was a mango tree or bush about five feet hight, with perfectly-formed leaves and branches. He brough it to me, and I satisfied myself beyond question that it was a real, live tree, by breaking off a branch, which I kept as a souvenir. He then pulled it up by the roots, to which was attached the nut partially decayed and covered with fine fibrous sprouts. He then emptied the earth from the box to show that nothing was concealed within it.

When it is borne in mind that all was done in broad daylight, with no person usually near him, the performer's arms being bare to the shoulders, and seated upon a stone pavement, it is not surprising that the bystanders seemed filled with amazement not unmixed with awe. It was plain that they considered him in league with the evil spirit or gifted with supernatural powers. Their faces would have been to me an interesting study if my own attention had not been so closely rivited on the conjurer.

Through Handy Andy I offered him twenty rupees if he would disclose to me the secret of the mango tree. I then doubled and trebled the offer, but he only shook his head, and I presume a thousand rupees would have been no temptation. I rewarded him with a generous "tip," and for the moment regretted that I was not a showman by profession. If I could only have secured his services for an American engagement there would have been "millions in it."

The wonderful tricks of conjury and juggling which are sometimes witnessed in Oriental countries may well make one distrust the evidence of his senses. While I claim to be especially matter-of-fact, without the slightest faith in the supernatural, I have in vain puzzled my brain to account for the modus operandi, and sometimes rubbed my eyes to make sure I was not dreaming. It excited my wonder and admiration to witness the skill and expertness of the performer, but I never for a moment doubted that it was a trick which could be rationally explained. In the East the profession of a conjurer inspires dread. He is looked upon as in league with the devil. The ordinary Oriental mind does not seek to penetrate his secret, but takes it for granted that he possesses supernatural powers. His imagination is easily excited, and a belief in magic is universally accepted as a part of his religious creed. In the holy books of Buddha the magic arts open a short road to attain that perfection of power and wisdom which culminates in the cessation of sensible existence. The more refined and learned class of Buddhists repudiate and despise the grosser exhibitions of common magic and charlatanism, but the common people will not dispense with these marvels. Every monastery keeps a conjurer, who does not belong to the brotherhood of the convent and is allowed to marry. The practitioners possess no literature, but hand down the secrets of their art by tradition. In India, conjuring as well as snake charming is a hereditary profession, and their magic professions are transmitted from father to son.

It is a good plan if one has anything marvelous to relate, to tell what he has himself seen, and afterward what may have come to him at second-hand. The old missionary Jesuits in India and China relate with holy horror the magic arts of the sorcerers which came under their own observation, and lament that some credulous princes, who had been converted to Christianity, should still allow diabolic tricks to be played before them. As, for instance, goblets of silver to be moved from one end of a table to another without hands, and heavy articles of furniture to dance about the room as if possessed of demons. This way many centuries before the development of modern spiritualism, and the sincere and pious old monks would be shocked at seeing tables tipped, banjos banged, fiddles fly through the air and bells rung in cabinets when the evil "spirits" were supposed to be tied hand and foot.

A very learned frair, who is spoken of as perfectly truthful, says that among the Tartars there are certain men whom they honor above all others, who are idol priests from India, persons of deep wisdom, well conducted and of the purest morals. They are acquainted with the magic arts, and depend upon the counsel and aid of demons. Among other delusions they exhibit, which he describes with great exactness, he says they can sit in the air without any visible support—first upon a tripod of three sticks, then one stick after another is removed, and still the man remains, not touching the ground. He further relates that with a long cane he felt all around under the suspended individual and found nothing upon which his body rested. This last performance was professedly exhibited in Madrid during the present century, and is minutely described by writers "whose veracity cannot be impeached."

And now comes the most astonishing trick of all, which has a touch of tragedy to give it a more piquant flavor. I shall tell it in the quaint language of the old chronicler, somewhat abbreviated. After describing very vividly the basket murder trick, which is well known in India, he says: "I am now about to relate a thing which surpasses all belief, and which I could scarcely venture to insert here had it not been witnessed by thousands under my own eyes. One of the party took a ball cord, and, grasping one end, threw the other up in the air, with such force that its extremity was beyond the reach of our sight. He then immediately climbed up the cord with incredible swiftness, and was soon out of sight. I stood full of astonishment, not conceiving what was to come of this, when, lo! a leg came tumbling down out of the air. One of the conjuring company instantly snatched it up and threw it into a basket. A moment after a hand came down, and immediately on that another leg. And in a short time all the members of the body came thus successively tumbling from the air, and were cast together into the basket. The last fragment of all we saw come down was the head, and no sooner had that touched the ground than he who had snatched up all the limbs and put them into the basket turned them all out again topsy-turvy. And straightway I saw with these eyes all those limbs creep together again, and in a short time form a whole man, who stood up and walked about without showing the least damage! Never in my life was I so much astonished as when I beheld this wonderful performance, and I doubted now no longer that these misguided men did it with the help of the devil. I had an attack of palpitation of the heart like that which overcame me once before in the presence of the Sultan of India when he showed me something of that kind. They gave me a cordial, however, which cured the attack. The Aazi Aikharradiu was next to me, and quoth he, '*Waltah!* 'tis my opinion there has been neither going up nor coming down, neither marring nor mending; 'tis hocus-pocus!' which was a very wise conclusion to come to."

When the evidence of eye witnesses is too direct to be rebutted and no *alibi* can be proved, the wily advocate in defending his client relates to the open-mouthed jury certain well-authenticated stories of optical delusions, which, like those other illustrations of the fallibility of circumstantial evidence, can be found in the repertoire of every skillful criminal lawyer. By way of caveat, I will only add the motto which every Eastern traveler should bear in mind—"Believe nothing you hear and only half you see."

DISUNION AND TREASON.

Black Republican Sentiments During the War.

DISUNION BETTER THAN SLAVERY.

"In conclusion I have only to add that such is my solemn and abiding conviction of the character of slavery that under a full sense of my responsibility to my country and my God, I deliberately say, better disunion—better a civil or a servile war—better anything that God in His providence shall send—than an extension of the bounds of slavery." — Hon. Horace Mann.

THE HIGHER LAW.

"The good citizen, as he reads the requirements of this Act [the Fugitive Slave] is filled with horror.

Here the path of duty is clear. I AM BOUND TO DISOBEY THIS ACT." * * —Hon. Charles Sumner.

BULLETS INSTEAD OF BALLOTS.

"If peaceful means fail us, and we are driven to the last extremity, where ballots are useless, then we'll make bullets effective." [Tremendous applause.]—Hon. Erastus Hopkins.

DISUNION ANYHOW.

"I detest slavery, and say unhesitatingly that I am in favor of its abolition by some means, if it sends all the party organizations and the Union itself to the devil. If it can only exist by holding millions of human beings in the most abject and cruel system of slavery that ever cursed the earth, it was a great pity that it was ever formed, and the sooner it is dissolved the better."—[H. M. Addison.

DOWN WITH THE UNION.

"Was it not that the only hope of the slave was over the ruins of this Government and of the American church—the dissolution of the Union was the abolition of slavery."

DOWN WITH THE CONSTITUTION.

"A great many people raise a cry about the Union and Constitution, as if the two were identical; but the truth is it is the Constitution that has been the fountain and father of our troubles."—]Rev. Capt. Henry Ward Killem Beecher.

SPITTING ON WASHINGTON.

"Remembering he was a slave-holder he could spit upon Washington, [hisses and applause]. The hissers, he said, were slave-holders in spirit, and every one of them would enslave him if they had the courage to do it. So near the Faneuil Hall and Bunker Hill, was he not permitted to say that that SCOUNDREL, George Washington, had enslaved his fellow men?"—[C. L. Remond, Black Republican orator at Faneuil Hall.

GENERAL DESTRUCTION.

Resolved, That God helping us, we will live and labor—not only for the prevention of slavery upon the soil of Kansas, but also for its destruction from the length and breadth of the land.

Resolved, That the Union was established to secure the liberties of American citizens. When it fails to do that, our only voice can be, let the Union be dissolved.—[Lowell resolutions.

EVERY MAN GO ARMED.

"We are northern men, and we have a Senator in Congress. I am for having every man go armed, and if he is assailed, shoot down his opponent."—[Mr. Brewster's speech at Faneuil Hall.

GETTING RID OF FREEDOM.

"The events of the last few years and months and days have taught us the lessons of centuries. I do not see how a barbarous community and a civilized community can constitute a State. I think we must get rid of slavery or we must get rid of freedom.—[R. W. Emerson at Concord.

RESOLUTION WANTED.

The following resolutions were adopted at a meeting of the Black Republicans at Monroe, Green county, Wisconsin, on the 31st ult.:

"Resolved, That it is the duty of the north, in case they fail in electing a President, and a Congress that will restore freedom to Kansas, to revolutionize the Government."

"DISSOLUTION" DESIRED.

"I have said, and take this opportunity to repeat that rather than consent that the curse of human chattel-dom should be taken into Kansas and Nebraska, I would prefer to see the political elements crumble into dissolution."—Cleaveland *Leader.*

EFFECTIVE AGGRESSION.

"There is a higher law than the Constitution which regulates our authority over the domain. * * It (slavery) can and must be abolished, and you and I must do it. * * * Correct your own error that slavery has constitutional guarantees which may not be relinquished. * * You will soon bring the parties of the country into an effective aggression upon slavery."—[Wm. H. Seward.

DEEP MINING SHAFTS IN EUROPE.

Twenty years ago the deepest mining shaft in the world reached only about 2,000 feet below the surface. The very deepest, we believe, was a metaliferous mine in Haonver, which has been carried down to the depth of 2,290 feet. The deepest perpendicular shaft to-day is in a silver-lead mine in Prizibram, in Bohemia, which has reached a depth of 3,280 feet. The attainment of that depth was made the occasion of a three days' festival, and still further noticed by the striking off of a large number of commemorative silver medals of the value of a florin each. There is no record of the beginning of work on this mine, although its written history goes back to 1527. Quite recently an elegant commemorative book has been written and printed, which is most interesting to those who have a taste for either the actualities or antiquities of mining industry. There are two other localities, however, where a greater depth has been reached than at the Adalbert shaft, but not in a perpendicular line. These are: first, the Rocksalt bore-hole near Sperenberg, not far from Berlin, which, a few years ago, had been bored to a depth of 4,175 feet; second, the coal mine of Viviers Remus, in Belgium, where the miners, by shaft-sinking together with boring, have reached a depth of 3,280 feet. Turning from these two mines, no shaft, in unbroken, perpendicular line, has as yet exceeded the depth of 3,280 feet.—*Mining and Scientific Press.*

The Sorrows of Genius.

Homer was a beggar; Platus turned a mill; Terence was a slave; Bœthius died in jail; Paul Borghese had fourteen trades, and yet starved with them all; Tasso was often distressed for five shillings; Bentivoglio was refused admittance into a hospital he had himself erected; Cervantes died of hunger; the celebrated writer of the "Lusiad" ended his days, it is said, in an alms-house, and, at any rate, was supported by a faithful black servant, who begged in the streets of Lisbon for the only man in Portugal on whom God had bestowed those talents which have a tendency to erect the spirit of downward age, and Vagelas left his body to the surgeons to pay his debts as far as the money would go; Bacon lived a life of meanness and distress; Sir Walter Raleigh died on the scaffold; Spencer, the charming, died in want; the death of Collins was through neglect, first causing mental derangement; Milton sold his copy of "Paradise Lost" for £15 in three payments, and finished his life in obscurity; Dryden lived in poverty and distress; Otway died prematurely and through hunger; Lee died in the street; Steele lived a life of perfect warfare with the bailiffs; Goldsmiih's "Vicar of Wakefield" was sold for a trifle to save him from the grip of the law; Fielding lies in the burying-ground of the English factory at Lisbon, without a stone to mark the spot; Chatterton, the child of genius and misfortune, destroyed himself.

Boston *Transcript:* It was on the deck of one of the harbor steamers. "There, sit there," said the father, placing his little boy on a smooth cylinder running across the gangway; "sit there a moment till I get you a drink of water." No sooner had he turned than down went the little one to the deck. Picking him up: "Seems to me you might sit there without falling. There, now, just keep quiet and you'll be all right." He turns and drop No. 2 takes place. Getting a little impatient, "Well, you're clumsy enough I must say! Why, I could sit there all day and not fall off. See, just sit this way." And then he picked himself up and began brushing his clothes, while something strangely like a smile took the place of a whimper that had darkened the little fellow's face. Then, grabbing his boy's hand, the fond parent rushed up into the cabin in double-quick time, but not quick enough to entirely escape the laughter which on the wind came roaring after.

Wheeling *Sunday Leader:* Our inventor is at work getting out forty-four millions of fancy cards, bearing the words, "You can just bet your sweet life it is." They are intended to be worn on the lappel of the coats of all men in the United States in answer to the query, "Is it warm enough for you?" They will meet a long felt want, and ought to have a tremendous sale.

MINING REVIEW.

SATURDAY... .....AUGUST 23, 1879.

C. W. Crane, Room 3, Safe Deposit Building, has been appointed Agent for the LAKE MINING REVIEW in San Francisco. All orders delivered to him or contracts made for subscriptions or advertising will be recognized by the publishers.
HENRY CLUSKEY, Manager.

ELECTION LAW.

We clip the following from the Bodie *News* of the 15th inst.:

EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—Many inquiries have been made recently in reference to the right of qualified voters to register between now and election so as to enable them to vote, and in answer to inquiries, and for the benefit of all that may be interested, I hereby submit the following laws and opinion upon the subject:

Section 1, Article II, of the Constitution of this State, provides that any male citizen of the United States of 21 years, who shall have been a resident of the State six months next preceeding the election, and of the county in which he claims his vote, thirty days, shall be entitled to vote at all elections.

Section 1094 of our Political Code provides that there must be kept in the office of the County Clerk a Great Register, and another section provides that the Clerk must enter the names of qualified electors of the county upon the Register.

Section 1113 of the same Code provides, in substance, that before the fifth day of August in each year in which there shall be a general election, each County Clerk must make a copy of the uncanceled entries existing on the Great Register on the preceding first day of August. At this time, it will be observed, the only duty the Clerk has to perform is to make a copy of the uncanceled entries.

This section of the Code was amended by an Act of the Legislature, approved March 30, 1878, but the amendment does not change the Code so far as it is quoted in this article, but the very same language; but the amendment makes some other provisions which are not material to the question here discussed.

Section 1115 of the Code provides that within fifteen days after making said lists the Clerk must have printed a sufficient number of copies thereof to supply each election precinct with copies as therein provided.

The foregoing are the only laws applicable to the question. Of course it is conceded here that the voter must be on the Great Register before he can vote. The uncanceled entries in the Great Register must be copied by the Clerk before the 5th day of August, and printed before the 20th day of August. But in my opinion the Clerk is not authorized to cease registering voters for the next election, but he should continue to register as late as possible, before placing the Register in the hands of the printer, and voters should have notice, through the papers, of the time when it is proposed to deliver the list to the printers and this should be deferred as late as possible.

Under the Constitution and laws, as above set forth, it is, in my opinion, the duty of the Clerk, under the order of the Board of Supervisors, or without said order, if not made, to continue to register as late as possible, and cause a supplemental register, of these registered after the first list is printed, to be printed, and that the said supplemental register will legally constitute a part of the Great Register, and thereby, as was intended by the Constitution and laws, nearly every legal voter will have the privilege of voting at the next election.

I am informed by letter from Mr. Kaplan that such was the practice in San Francisco under the same laws, until a special act was passed for that city. D. WM. DOUTHITT.

MINING SUMMARY.

In offering our mining summary, in this issue, it has been our object to gather the facts as near as possible regarding the progress or developments of our mines. It is not our intention to mislead the public, by publishing statements exagerating our progress and developments. We have taken pains to interview the parties interested, as well as making inquiries of those disinterested and well versed in mining matters. We do not propose to publish a regular weekly summary, but shall, from time to time, take notice of any improvement and progress of the various mines located along our great mineral belt. Feeling sanguine regarding the future, and judging from present developments, we hope to merit the confidence and esteem of those interested in mining matters, both at home and abroad.

GOOD WORDS.

We are in receipt of the first number of the LAKE MINING REVIEW actually published in Mammoth City, although it is number 13 of the publication, the name of Mr. John F. Kopp appearing as proprietor. It is a weekly, the day of issue being Saturday. The REVIEW presents a very attractive appearance typographically and the proprietor promises to spare neither pains nor expense to make it a success.—*Bodie Standard.*

John F. Kopp put his name at the mast-head of the LAKE MINING REVIEW, published at Mammoth City, and, in his salutatory, makes promises which we are satisfied he can fulfill. The REVIEW is the pioneer newspaper of Mammoth City, and, as such, merits the supports of the inhabitants. —*Bodie News.*

The projected international convention of Jews at Paris in September next will be, in some respects, the most remarkable of all international conventions lately proposed or held. The Jews all over the American continent, as well as from the different parts of Asia, will be there.

GENERAL ITEMS.

The contracts for head-stones for A proposition to insert a clause in the new Louisiana Constitution, prohibiting the inter-marriage of whites and negroes, was evaded by the convention.

the soldiers' graves are awarded to Samuel G. Bridges of Keokuk, Iowa, and a New York State man. The price of the headstones average about $2 28 each.

Schuyler Colfax will re-appear as a lecturer during the coming season with his lecture "Across the Continent." It is descriptive of the 3,000-mile ride made by the lecturer in 1865, before the Pacific road was built.

The Commissioner General of the Land Office has issued to William A. Richardson a confirmee patent for the California Rancho Saucelito, containing 19,571 acres on the Bay of San Francisco. The title to this property has long been in litigation in the United States Supreme Court.

On the 1st instant, at the Indian camp near Fresno Flats, California, two Indian "medicine men" were killed by the braves of the camp. They were accused of bewitching an Indian that had jumped or fell out of a tree and killed himself. Several Indians interested in the trouble have been arrested.

During the year 1878 there were 2,708 medical students graduated from the fifty-nine colleges of the United States. As the statistics show that in this country an average of 500 people support one physician, there must be a constant supply of over 13,000 patients, who must pay the handsome sum of $1,976,000 a year, in order to allow each doctor only $2 a day.

In the county of Yazoo, Mississippi, there were 2,966 Republican votes cast in 1871, the total poll being 3,963 votes, and the other 997 votes being Democratic. In 1875 there were 7 Republican votes cast, in a total of 4,054 votes, the other 4,044 being Democratic. It is hardly necessary to add says the New York *Times*, that the Democratic gain in Yazoo county, Mississippi, has been very great.

A Washington dispatch says the vital and social statistics of mining populations will form an important feature of the work of the agents to be appointed from the geological parties now in the field to gather statistics of the next census, and it is expected that a sufficient number of facts will be developed to indicate the average cost of production in mining industry.

A miner named Childs, while prospecting, lately discovered a ledge from three to eight feet wide, about twenty miles from Port Townsend, which is found to be rich in gold, silver, copper and lead, with strong indications of platinum. The ledge lies between conglomerated rock and can be traced readily for half a mile, and is easily approached by shipping. Specimens will be forwarded to Victoria for assay.

The New York *Herald* has another story of the Stewart's body affair. A special to that paper from Montreal says: The city is much excited over the discovery that the body believed to have been Stewart's was brought there in a canal boat from New York in November last. The police got on the track and notified Superintendent Walling here, but the latter discredited the report and no action was taken.

A Sacramento telegram of the 16th says: A fiendish murder was committed at Folsom about 1 o'clock last night. Frank Lamblett, a barber, and his wife were attacked in their bed by an unknown assassin. Mrs. Lamblett was killed and her husband stabbed twice while escaping through the window. Suspicion rests on a man against whom Lamblett brought a foreclosure suit, and who is missing from his home to-day. The community is greatly excited, and there are hreats of lynching.

The Truckee *Republican* says: Early Thursday afternoon a beautiful spout shot up from the road leading to Shaffer's mill, a mile or so from town. Up, up, and still upward it sped until it reached, apparently, thousands of feet, when, coming into contact with a strong current of air, it was soon dissipated. These phenomena are said to be produced by a peculiar effect of the heat of the sun on the sands, which is probably true, as at the time there was not a breath of wind stirring. Around about this immediate region its only effect was to distract the "buzzing" of a score or more of candidates and possibly set some of them thinking whether or not they were on the way "up the spout."

Boston *Transcript:* Little Harry S., of six summers, who had been exalted from girl's to boy's habiliments, recently appeared at school in the former, when his teacher kindly remarked: "Children, I hope that none of you will tease Harry, nor speak of his dress, as his mother has sent him in to punish him for being naughty, and he feels mortified and sorry." Thereupon Master Harry quickly mounted his seat and repudiated his teacher's kind protection, extended his clenched fist and harangued his class thus: "If any girls say anything about it, I'll say nothing; but if any boy does, I'll knock his head off," and the fire of his eyes bespoke his self-reliance.

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LETTER LIST.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the Mammoth City Postoffice, August 16, 1879, which if not called for within thirty days will be sent to the Dead Letter office, Washington, D. C. MORRIS BURKE, P. M.

Armstrong Jerry	Mulky Miles
Bowers Herbert	Marshal John
Brown Mary Mrs	McLaughlin S F
Brown John	McCroskey John
Brown Peter	McDonald A F
Beardsley W H	Mooers J T
Brickman Wm	Nesley Frank H
Burke John	Osborn Thos H
Burkhardt John	Oberg C J
Bowen J B	O'Riley Mr
Blake Elias	O'Hagan Edward
Brown Jimmy	O'Malley Walter
Brusken John	Padlock Frank
Collins John	Peterson P
Cameron Edward	Pemberton J F
Crausbon E C	Pierson Geo E 2
Carder Geo	Paolo Youth
Clark John	Paulo Guong
Cornelson Ellis E	Patch B B
Douglass Wm A	Richardson H
Dodsworth M 3	Reagan Martin
DeLong Jas	Rozelle Chas
Devincenze G B	Robinson Thomas A
Daleovich John	Rickels John
Dougherty C	Ruger Harmon
Dussere Aug	Stanton J J
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Dodson A M	Shoen Louis 2
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Garbet Ben	Sutherland Kenith
Greely C H	Smith P J H
Grace Wm	Shipton J E
Gacbler Mr	Skidmore W A
Gleason Peter	Thorndike C M
Grinnich Nick	Thompson Thomas
Howland G G	Tadlock F E
Hoyt Mr	Taliafers H 2
Hitch G P 2	Tilden B
Hughes P G	Thompson Edwin
Hohuhan Z	Tilden Chas W
Hickey P K	Taylor B R
Halferry G W 2	Towers Herbert
Hildreth Jas	Treveathen A
Howell H H Mrs	Tyler W H
Hall Josiah Col	Vreeland J C
Hanson T A	Varney E C
Hitchcock G D	Van Kleak S
Kewly John	Ward Patrick
Kershin John	Wilson J F 3
Littler W J	Winter John
Leahy Jas W	Welch William
Lenson T	Watts M
Logan Geo	Wilkinson H W
Lane Frank	Wilson I F
LLecourt Stephen	Wright J W A 3
Low J B	Wimmers John
Muttit Geo	Woldenbeag L
McGuire Frank	Wagner John
Mayer John	Wilds Bettie Mrs
McCovey Jas	Wills L C
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The co-partnership heretofore existing between I. B. Giles and V. Van Brasen, under the firm name of Giles & Van Brasen, of the Yosemite Saloon, has dissolved by mutual consent. I. B. Giles assumes all indebtedness of said firm.

V. VAN BRASEN,
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MAMMOTH, August 13, 1879.

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MINING REVIEW.

SATURDAY.....AUGUST 23, 1879.

JONH F. KOPP will hereajter, and until further notice, deliver the LAKE MINING REVIEW to subscribers, make collections and solicit. Subscriptions payable every Monday.

STOCK REPORT.

The following are the quotations of the San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board:

850 Ophir, 30¾, 36½, 37
660 Mexican, 34½, 35
220 Gould & Curry, 11¾, 11¾, 11¾ b5
180 Hale & Norcross, 13⅞.
135 California, 4 60, 4 65
80 Savage, 13½, 13¾, 14⅜
255 Con. Virginia, 4 65, 4 70, 460
50 Chollar, 6⅝
405 Crown Point, 4½, 4 45, 4 40 4 30, 4⅛
105 Yellow Jacket, 16¾
300 Imperial, 1 45
50 Kentuck, 4¾, 4½
180 Sierra Nevada, 42, 41½, 41¾
70 Utah, 20
305 Bullion, 6½, 6⅝
425 Exchequer, 6½, 6⅝
20 Overman, 6¼
250 Justice, 3½, 3 40, 3 35
420 Union, 55½ ,55¼, 55
180 Alta, 7⅛, 7
525 Lady Bryan, 70, 65c
205 Julia, 4 35
340 Caledonia, 2 05, 2
365 Silver Hill, 1¾, 1 70
325 New York, 80c
200 Occidental, 1 30, 1 35, 1 40
150 Phil Sheridan, 55c
30 Woodville, 50c
50 Lady Washington, 1 15
485 Belcher, 3¾, 3 80, 385, 3 90, 3 95
405 Andes, 1 05, 1
400 Wells Fargo, 10c
505 Ward, 1 80
290 Scorpion, 2¾
225 Leviathan, 30c
200 Trojan, 25c
250 Crown Point Ravine, 30c
185 Benton, 4 20, 4 15
480 Con. Dorado, 1 45
250 Flowery, 55c
250 North Bonanza, 1 40, 1 35
130 Mackay, 1 40
1100 South Utah, 5c

AFTERNOON BOARD.

140 Bodie, 11¼
200 Bechtel, 1 30
50 McClinton, 75c
450 Tioga, 3 55, 3 60, 3¾
30 Bulwer, 9
200 Syndicate, 5¾, 6
100 Summit, 1¾
120 Goodshaw, 45c
270 Belvidere, 1 15, 1
1575 Champion, 50c
245 Blackhawk, 1¼
450 South Bodie, 35c
445 Booker, 1 20, 1 15
200 Richer, 15c
50 Queen Bee, 55c
500 Mono, 9½, 9⅝, 9¾, 9⅝
40 Con. Pacific, 7, 6½
360 University, 20c
100 Dudley, 1 35
200 Jupiter, 2 20
1400 South Bulwer, 70c
200 Addenda, 45c
600 Argenta, 1
300 Oriental, 60c
200 Orient, 25c
150 Defiance, 80c
290 Noonday, 3½, 3¼,
100 North Noonday, 3
350 Vortex, 70c
350 Orient, 30, 25c
100 Double Standard, 50c
130 Mammoth, 9½
1500 Bodie Chief, 50c
700 Boston Con., 1½, 1 15
500 Rough and Ready, 60c
370 White, 3¾
80 Silver King, 6
100 Golden Terra, 13
50 Leeds, 75c
400 Caledonia (B. H.), 2¼
100 Giant and Old Abe, 5

Joseph Wasson Coming to Mammoth.

From private information we learn that the above named gentleman, candidate for the Assembly for the counties of Inyo and Mono, will be in our town on the 26th instant. Mr. Wasson will make an able legislator, and we hope he will receive a rousing majority at the coming election. His long and able endeavor in behalf of the mining interests of this and adjoining counties, entitle him to the suffrages of the people. Let us give him a cordial reception on his arrival in our midst.

Speech of Judge D. W. Douthitt.

Last Saturday evening, Hutchison's Hall was comfortably crowded to listen to the able speech delivered by Judge Douthitt. The meeting was presided over by A. B. Anderson. The N. C. P. side of the question was ably presented, and loud and frequent applause greeted the speaker during the delivery of the speech, which occupied one hour and a half. Judge D. made a good impression on his audience, as the good order which prevailed fully evinced.

"A. B. C."

The first boat of the Argonaut Boat Club was successfully launched on Lake Mary on Thursday last. It is a beautiful model, and capable of carrying fourteen persons. The club, in honor of the builder, christened her the "J. D. Collins."

Recovering.

Mr. John Hagan, who was accidentally shot in the right thigh on the Fourth of July last, is, we are happy to know, rapidly recovering from his wound, and will be out in the course of a few weeks. The ball, which could not be found at the time of the accident, was skilfully extracted by Drs. Ragan and Lesesne last week. Mr. Richard Tone deserves great credit for his untiring attention and devotion to his friend during the period of his illness.

L. Hanchett, principal owner and Superintendent of the Champion mine of Bodie, arrived in town by private conveyance Wednesday morning. Mr. H. has large interests in this and Wear District.

Mr. James Lowery, Superintendent of the Armstrong mine, is a candidate for Justice of the Peace. He is an old pioneer of this district, and deserves to be elected.

MAMMOTH MILL.

Progress of the Work—An Interview With the Practical Workers in the Different Departments — Machinery on the Way, etc., etc.

Buisy as bees on the Mammoth Mill, is the first observation made on arriving on the ground. Spying Mr. White near by, we proceed to interview a second time that able and competent superintendent of construction. We say competent, for everybody around and about acknowledge his ability. He has all the details at his tongue's end; and so with his lieutenants, who are able men in their respective roles and who are placed there by the good judgment of their captain. The facts learned are that the machinery is all at hand excepting two pans, one settler, rock breaker, pulleys for pans, counter-shaft for breaker and pullys, and hub of fly wheel, all of which will be here within the week and housed, and everything in complete running order by the 1st of September next. The water wheel has been readjusted as an additional power to engine, the bed of the latter being nearly completed. The boilers are in place, the bed of which will be completed before going to press.

Mr. Dave Sutton, engineer, is working like a trooper, as well as his colaborers. He takes in the spirit of the situation and is sanguine of the completion of the mill by the time specified. He is a man thoroughly competent and the Mammoth company is fortunate in securing his services. He has full charge of the construction. Mr. Terry McGinnis is second to no other in his particular line—mason work. His crew are all hard workers and their work at the mill will be completed in a day or two. The rock, a hard basalt, is very difficult to dress. Engine and boiler bed are nearly completed and a number of men are engaged laying the bed for an air compressor and boiler for a Burleigh drill at the mine. Mr. McGinnis has had some of the most important contracts in connection with mining and mill work on the coast. The demand for his services must certainly be flattering to his ability.

THE CARPENTER WORK

Is under the supervision of Mr. Matthew Gratto with a corps of competent and able mechanics. The structure of the building is of massive proportions, capable of resisting any force of heavy snows which we are subject to. It is our fortune to be situated conveniently to timber, having the opportunity of a choice selection at our very doors. The mill company have taken advantage of it and have not been niggardly in its use.

CAPACITY OF MILL.

Mr John Collier, one of the most competent mill men on the coast, will have charge of the mill when completed, and from him we gather the following details: The mill will be of forty-stamp capacity, which are in place with 16 pans and 8 settlers, a Corlis bed engine 24x48; when placed in position will be secured to to the solid bed of masonry by 18 2½-inch bolts, anchored by heavy iron plates at a depth of 20 feet. The boilers are 54 inches in diameter and 16 feet long, provided with a Scott & Echard governor and an O'Neill patent cut-off. The fly wheel weighs 32,000 pounds. The mill will have a capacity of crushing 100 tons of ore per per day. The retorts will remain in their present condition with slight alterations of the masonry.

THE ASSAY OFFICE

Will be entirely renovated and remodeled. This department is under the able management of Mr. C. W. Ober.

THE BLACKSMITH SHOP,

Under the management of Mr. J. J. Paul, who is a thorough and capable mechanic, is one of the busiest places about the works. With the work going on around, his services are in continual demand, which Mr. Paul discharges with the regularity and proverbial patience of the celestial rubbing a crowbar down to a needle.

TIME KEEPER,

Mr. Robert J. Moody, well known in California and Nevada, and a gentleman who is respected by all who know him and whose friends are legion, plays no small part in the financial interests of the company. About one hundred men are employed in and around the mine. Mr. Moody is competent by education and experience to discharge the duties of his vocation.

The old tramway is undergoing repairs at present and will probably be used, as no other method has been decided upon at present to convey the ore to the mill. On reviewing the different departments in connection with the mill it may seem as though it was our intention to flatter. We are and have had the good fortune to be acquainted with the gentlemen at the heads of the different departments for a mumber of years past, and all who are acquainted with Col. Hardy, the general superintendent of the company, know that he will not tolerate incompetent men. Like a general reviewing his army, on taking charge, he cast his eye over the work before him and found that there was no necessity for changes; and like a good general, not actuated by jealousy, found that Mr. James Cross, his predecessor, had put the right men in the right place.

MINING SUMMARY.

The Julia cut is in 12 feet, with a small streak of promising ore.

Last Chance shaft down about 20 feet and shows a fine body of mineral.

Cresent City has run a drift 50 feet running to the ledge, with some ore in sight.

Eureka shaft down 12 feet; ledge 12 feet wide, and assays from $20 to $170 per ton.

The Ophir shaft is down 12 feet; large body of ore in sight, assaying from $20 to $70 per ton.

The Red Cloud shaft has attained a depth of 30 feet, with a good prospect of developing a mine.

Denis Kearney shaft is down about 15 feet, with fair ledge in sight. Assays unknown.

The Monumental is the only mine on the lead showing base metal. Tunnel in about 15 feet. Assays unknown.

The Hutchison Consolidated three-compartment shaft is down 109 feet. Work was suspended on the 19th instant.

Great Eastern is running a tunnel toward the ledge, which is now in 30 feet. Assays average from $15 to $180 per ton.

The Armstrong shaft has reached a depth of 25 feet, showing good indications and promises to develop a first-class mine.

Alpha Tunnel is in about 200 feet, and has got some good ore, which assays from $20 to $600 per ton in small quantities.

The Wisconsin mine is not doing much work at present. Assays from the croppings run from $20 to $200 per ton.

At the Chief of the Hill no work is being done at present. Assays have been made which average from $15 to $60 per ton.

The Silveropolis shaft is down 65 feet, and they have resumed work on the 22d instant. Average assays unknown to reporter at present.

Tiger has quite a large ledge in sight. They have cut in about 15 feet, with good assays; some of the specimens show free gold.

The Don Quixote tunnel is in about 160 feet, with a ledge 12 or 14 feet wide. Assays have been made which reach from $4 50 to $7 65.

The Headlight south extention of the Mammoth, has a shaft down about 80 feet, and has a large quantity of ore on the dump of good quality.

Lake View Company have suspended work for two weeks, and are preparing for permanent works. The mine is well prospected, as the ore veins already opened show a fine grade of milling ore.

The Clarendon tunnel is in 69 feet. Face of drift is in quartz and quartzite of a very hard character. This mine has a fine outlook, and further developments will, without doubt, show a fine ore body. The croppings are very strong. To reach these croppings, the tunnel must be run a further distance of 100 feet.

The Monte Christo shaft is down about 80 feet. They are drifting from the shaft to the ledge, and have a large quantity of ore on the dump, which will mill about $25 dollars per ton. The ledge has a width of about 15 feat, and is increasing. They are engaged in sinking a working shaft on the ledge.

During the past week important developements have been made in the Jordon. The shaft has attained a depth of 47 feet. Assays taken from face of incline yesterday average over $100 per ton in Silver. The ore body is now over nine feet in width, the quanity and quality of the quartx improving constantly.

Noting of importance is being done at the Mammoth mine at present, except making preparation for taking out ore on the completion of the mill, when a full force of men will be brought into requisition. We expect to see our most sanguine hopes realized. On the completion of the mill, we will give a general and an interesting description of the mill and mine in all the different departments.

WHAT WE KNOW.

If you want good milk, call on J. D. Sears.

Wagner & Co. have a general assortment of hardware.

Willis & Stewart have a full line of first-class drugs.

Travel is increasing over the saddle train route.

Building is steadliy progressing in Mammoth, Pine and Mill cities.

A first-class watchmaker and jeweler wanted at Mammoth city.

French's saddle train went out last Tuesday morning loaded down to the guards.

In our issue to-day we publish the letter list of last week. No additional names.

Enright & Mayne are building a fine fire-proof storehouse in the rear of their store.

Mr. Fred. Nichols, principal owner in the Jordan mine, arrived by Tuesday evening's stage.

Go to J. F. Kopp for anything in the line of stationery, cigars, tobacco, deeds, bonds, etc.

There is a strong talk of the Don Quixote company building a mill at Pine City this Fall.

Mr. J. P. Shaw, of Harry Morse's detective force, has been visiting our town during the past week.

Mr. George Taylor departed for his home in Reno, Nev., by yesterday morning's stage via Bodie.

We are glad to see Mr. Hinkelbein of the hardware firm of P. A. Wagner & Co., able to be around again.

A slight shock of earthquake was felt here about 10.30 o'clock last Thursday night.

Quite a number of Mexican silver dollars and halves were being circulated during the past week.

Wentz & Allen, of Pine City, are continually receiving additions to their stock of general merchandise.

We are glad to see our neighbor, Mr. Fred. Grimmer, able to be about again. Wear your coat, Fred.

The employees of the Mammoth company receive their pay to-day. This is happy news to those interested.

Any person who cannot afford to purchase a newspaper, will be supplied by calling at J. F. Kopp's news depot, opposite the postoffice.

At the ball of the Knights of Pythias the question was asked of Bill Gills' little two-and-a-half-year old child as to its age. The reply came, "I weigh seventeen pounds."

We are pleased to note that our old friend Tom Service, formerly dispencer of liquids at McCarthy & Carnike's saloon, has almost entirely recovered and has come back from Casa Diablo springs to be among us again.

Fine progress is being made on the middle dam under the supervision of Mr. George D. Brown, our competent *dam* engineer. The construction force amounts to about twenty able, intelligent men, who are doing good work.

Mr. George Taylor, formerly in the employ of the Bank of California, Gold Hill, now residing in Reno, Nev., has been taking a look at our camp during the past week. He is well pleased with the outlook, and is willing to take stock on our prospects.

Mr. H. D. Bequette, formerly of this place, has, we learn, received the nomination of County Clerk of Mono county, on the Workingmen's ticket. Mr. Bequette is as good a choice for the position as could have been made.

Jim Wales, of the "Delta," received by the Cerro Gordo Freighting Company this week, a new and complete stock of wines, liquors and cigars; also ale, porter and seltzer water. Give him a call and find for yourselves out.

Mr. A. J. Murphy, we are sorry to inform the public, has closed his saloon. Mr. Murphy's saloon was the resort of the intelligent and literary inclined of Lake District. We hope he may soon re-open again, as our citizens lose the advantages of a fine library and copies of fine works of art from the old world.

A. P. Hall, watchmaker and jeweler, formerly located at J. F. Kopp's news depot, departed last Tuesday morning by French's saddle train. Mr. Hall has been called suddenly away on account of the death of his father. He has our deepest sympathies and we hope he may return to our midst soon again. We miss you Anson Parsons Hall. Be careful of our souvenir.

The Glenn Bros. announce that they will open a dancing school at Hutchison's hall on Tuesday next, at 8 P. M., thus affording an opportunity to form a class, and learn the delightful art. Being old hands at the business and also good musicians, a good time generally may be expected.

GRAND INSTALLATION BALL!

OF THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, AT HUTCHISON'S HALL.

Hutchison's Hall was fairly crowded Thursday night to witness the installation of the officers of Mammoth Lodge, No. 56, K. of P. After the conclusion of the exercises the Hall was cleared for dancing, and at 11 o'clock the room was crowded with a gay and merry throng. Preparations for the event had been going on for several days previous, and under the tireless energy of Mr. H. W. Graham, the hall presented a fine appearance. The decorations were ample and displayed good taste.

The music struck up, and soon the floor was filled with six set of merry dancers. The regular programme was carried out to the letter, and Mr. Graham, who was master of ceremonies, was ever attentive to his self imposed duties.

About 1 o'clock supper was announced, and all went across the street to the Mammoth hotel, where Mr. J. C. Bunker outdid himself in providing a bountiful repast. The tables fairly groaned under the good things provided for this occasion. Attentive waiters were on hand to see that none went away dissatisfied, and it was the unanimous verdict that the supper was all that could be desired. After supper was over the dancers returned to the hall and resumed dancing 'till sunrise, when they went to their respective abodes, weary, but highly delighted with the very pleasant entertainment.

Our space will not admit of a more extended report of this most enjoyable affair. Everyone was pleased, and all are unanimous in their praise of the good order that prevailed throughout the whole programme. Not a single incident occurred to mar the pleasure of the evening.

We give the names of the ladies who attended, so far as we were able to gather them:

Mrs. Chas. Schuman, Miss Mary Elliott, Mrs. R. L. Trigg, Mrs. Clark, Miss Lizzie Christie, Miss L. Rice, Miss Katie Kelley, Mrs. R. P. Fraser, Mrs. Cora McGoon, Mrs. Lester, Mrs. J. P. McFarland, Miss L. E. McAbee, Miss Fahy, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. A. Courier, Miss McApee, Miss Jennie McDonald, Miss Alice Pierson, Mrs. L. H. Allen, Mrs. Powell Miss Ella Brierly, Miss Mary Fitzpatrick, Miss Rosa Kelley, Miss Maggie Kelley, Mrs. M. H. Tyler, Mrs. Mollie Crawford Mrs. J. J. Paul.

The ladies were all elegantly and tastefully dressed for the occasion. The good people of Mammoth will long remember with pleasure this evening's entertainment, and will look forward to the next ball with pleasing anticipations. The Knights of Pythias know how to manage affairs of this character, and this, their initial effort, will long be remembered.

MONTE CRISTO.

We were on Mineral Hill this morning, and during our rambles near the Monto Cristo, found Mr. Radcliffe, the foreman. In company with him we thoroughly inspected this valuable property.

Our first visit was to the old shaft, which has reached a depth of 80 feet; this is the deepest working on the hill, and from the sinking much valuable information relative to the formation of the country south of the Mammoth has been obtained. In sinking they have passed through a quartzite rock similar to that found further north and in the immediate vicinity of the Mammoth and Foulke mine, which to our mining men is of much interest as establishing the fact of the existence of a true fissure vein.

At the bottom of this shaft a tunnel has been run to the ledge, which is found to be of 13 feet in width, all of fine quartz. Fine walls are encountered, one of quartzite and the foot of porphyry.

A drift has been run south on the foot wall of the vein and extended 24 feet. This drift is all in quartz of a fine grade.

At the south end of the drift a winze has been sunk to a depth of 26 feet. A noticeable improvement is observed in the character and grade of ore encountered in sinking this winze. We were shown large quantities of quartz which will assay from $200 to $300 per ton in gold and silver, about 39 per cent. being gold.

They have some 300 tons of ore on the dump, and the sight of such quantities produced in the limited workings of a mine, suggests the erection of a mill in the near future.

A new shaft, to be of two compartments, is now being sunk and is now down 16 feet. This will be well timbered and is designed as an air shaft to connect with a tunnel run from the Pine city, or west side of the mountain, at a depth of 400 feet.

We were informed that work was to be immediately commenced on this tunnel, and by means of power drills it is the intention of the company to have the tunnel connected with an air shaft, by the coming spring.

We notice many improvements about the mine, such as a boarding house, also a building for lodging accommodations. A fine shaft house is in course of erection, adjoining which is to be a blacksmith shop. All arrangements will soon be made for the successful working of the shaft and mine to a depth of 300 feet.

N. N. Saylor's new building, at Pine city, is rapidly approaching completion. The building is a two-story structure, with a frontage of 25 feet and 32 feet in depth. Much credit is due to Mr. Saylor for the enterprise exhibited. The building will prove an ornament to that rapidly increasing town.

Lake View Picnic Grounds.

The picnic last Sunday at the head of Lake Mary, was a decided success, and much credit is due to our worthy townsman, Mr. Jerry McCarthy, who is owner of this most desirable property. The pavilion which Mr. McCarthy caused to be erected is 32x48 feet. The flooring is of pine tongue and grooved lumber, and is built on a sloping lawn close to the edge of the lake, where it forms a beach, giving the dancers a fine view of the immediate surroundings. Near by a small building was erected 12x14 feet, where the indispensible bar can be found. To reach the grounds you can take advantage of two avenues, one a trail through the forest, reaching around by the dam, at the lower end of the lake to the right, and can be conveniently reached on horseback or on foot, the other from Nichols' landing, where excursionists can take a pleasant row across the lake in one of three boats owned by I. N. Nichols. It has never been our fortune to view a more lovely spot. Wild flowers of almost every variety grow in profusion. We noticed a number of ladies with their escorts gathering wild strawberries, which grow in no small quantities. Stepping from the boat a beautiful cataract can be seen on our right, coming down from Lake George above.

Personal.

M. D. Kelley, candidate for Sheriff, W. O. Parker, candidate for District Attorney, and Ben. H. Miller, candidate for County Clerk, arrived on Friday.

Major G. B. H. Stenhouse, correspondent of the New York *Herald*, came in by Thursday night's stage. On Friday he visited the Mammoth mine under the guidance of Colonel Hardy. To-day he will visit other mines in the vicinity, and to-morrow will leave by stage for his home in San Francisco.

Judge R. M. Briggs, candidate for Superior Judge on the Republican ticket, spent several days with us this week.

R. A. Marden, Deputy G. C. of the Knights of Pythias, arrived in town Wednesday evening. He came for the purpose of instituting Mammoth Lodge, No. 56, K. of P., and will leave for his home to-morrow morning.

Judge Briggs, Republican candidate for Superior Judge, made quite an effective speech at Hutchison's Hall last night. The hall was crowded, and the speech was listened to with rapt attention to its close. His remarks elicited frequent and hearty applause. R. A. Marden, followed in a good speech of half an hour's duration.

Scrap Book Selections.

Under the above head we will offer to the reading public, from time to time, a miscellaneous selection of valuable and rare reading matter, gathered from journals from all parts of the world, the result of years of labor. We give the benefit of our labor to our many readers. The selections will comprise prose, poetry, political, statistical and mining matter, which they will find worthy of preservation.

A boat race will come off to-morrow between the Pine city and Argonant clubs of Mammoth. A good time can be expected at McCarty's picnic grounds.

The following officers of Mammoth City Lodge, No. 56, K. of P., were duly installed by D. G. C., R. A. Marden, Thursday evening:

P. C., J. A. McPhee; C. C., Dr. P. J. Ragan; V. C., George Brown; Prelate. C. H. Morgan; K. of R. and S., H. W. Graham; M. of F., B. C. Derham; M. of E., John Gillson; M. at A., Chas. Schuman; I. G., J. H. Harrison; O. G., M. W. Watts; assistants, A. Murray, Richard Craytor, Robert Powell and Harrison Pine.

As to the conduct of the grasshoppers, the Reno *Gazette* says: In Surprise Valley the ranchers are reconciled to the insects. The hoppers have spent the last four Summers with them. Although not flattered by their attentions, the Surprise Valley people put up with them good naturedly and keep on sowing crops for them every Spring. The Surprise Valley hoppers seem to be sensible of this resignation on the part of the ranchers. The insects there do not spread out diffusely all through the valley, eating here a little and there a little. No; they keep together, devouring Jone's crop one year, Smith's the next season and Brown's the following Summer. This peculiar rotation of crops is pleasing to the farmers.

MINING REVIEW.

SATURDAY.....AUGUST 23, 1879

ALONE.

She stands beside the cottage door
To watch the dying day,
Her raven hair is sprinkled o'er
With flakes of silvery gray:
And many a line of sadness scars
That pale yet lovely face,
To mark where slow and silent tears
Have left their silent trace.

And still her whispered thoughts will tell
Of scenes that are no more,
And scan the once-loved forms that dwell
On memory's shadowy shore:
Again the little cot to deck
That now so empty stands,
Again to feel around her neck
The touch of tiny hands.

How long, the weary spirit cries,
Within this world of pain,
Ere 'neath the never-fading skies
I meet them once again?
And as she views the silver night,
Slow sweeping to the west,
A murmured prayer in faith takes flight
To Him who giveth rest.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Many a horse goes out in a driving rein, and comes back without wetting a hair.

There is reason to believe that there is quite as large an amount of craft on land as on water.

How is it that the summer always goes so quickly?—Because there is often an evening mist.

The dictionary defines dulcet a sweet; but then you can hardly call a dull-set saw sweet music.

The man who was hit in the eye with a lump of anthracite, explained to his friends that he had merely got coaled in it.

It requires about as long to get a girl well out of her twentieth year as for a horse to get beyond "eight years old this spring."

It is doubtless extremely polite of Uncle Sam to telegraph in advance the "storm centres" he sends to Britain. But Britannia doesn't want any storm ent her.

"He seems to have been shot in the diaphragm," said the doctor. "Oh, no!" exclaimed his weeping listener, "he was shot right in the lower end of the saloon."

Circumstances alter cases. The man who is on the train thinks it tarries too long at way stations; not so the one who is half a block away and coming rapidly toward it when the whistle toots.

Virginia *Enterprise:* "Wanted—A smile from the face of a crossent." We are inclined to think that the above comes from a miner—one who "stopes to conquer." The drift of it is good; it winze our applause. Chute the giraffe!

A smart boy took it into his head to change the name of his dog to Infallibility. The first time his mother heard him call the animal she exclaimed: "Why, Jack, what do you mean by giving the poor beast such a name as that?" "Eh," returned Master Jack; "isn't infallibility a dogma?"

A man who was a great stickler for etiquette, having married a widow before her period of mourning had expired, soon after made his appearance with a weed in his hat. On being asked as to his reasons for it, he remarked that he considered it no more than the handsome thing toward his lamented predecessor.

"What made you quit the East?" said a man in Nevada to a new-comer. "I got into trouble by marrying two wives," was the response. "Well," said the other, "I came out here because I got in to trouble by marrying only one wife." "And I," added a bystander, "came here because I got into trouble simply by promising to marry one."

While the postal-route agent on the Boston and Providence Railroad was assorting the mail the other day, he was horror-struck at the following address on a postal card: "Mr. James Burns, alias John M. Flinn, in care of Mike Duffy, or his sister Lizzie Duffy, or her cousin Moll McCarthy, corner of Cross Street and Jerry Ragan's Hill, North Main street, Taunton, Massachusetts, wholesale fish pedler and tin-horn artist. If not there, elsewhere."

"The world," remarks a philosopher, "is like a looking-glass; frown at it, and it frowns at you; smile at it, and it will smile back." Ah, yes, that is all very well, but when the looking-glass has a blister about the middle of it, and a wrinkle each side of that, that twists your nose up into something like a wilted turnip and draws your mouth all over both cheeks in twenty different sizes and angles, all the smiling you can do at it only makes it worse and worse. Philosophy is all very well, but it can't smooth the wrinkles out of a looking-glass.

HOTELS.

J. C. BUNKER. E. H. LANGLEY. T. F. MACVOY.

MONUMENTAL HOTEL.

J. C. Bunker & Co., Proprietors.

The Leading Hotel of Mammoth City. This Hotel is the headquarters of San Francisco and Bodie travel, and is first-class in every respect.

☞ The office of the Bodie Stages is at this house, and the Fresno Flats Saddle Train arrives and departs from our door.

au16tf J. C. BUNKER & CO.

MAMMOTH HOUSE,

Main Street, - Mammoth City.

BOARD BY THE DAY OR MEAL.

The table will be supplied with the very best the market affords, and by courteous attention we hope to receive a share of the public patronage. SAMUEL ARGALL.

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THE LAKE HOUSE,

Lower Mammoth Avenue,

T. H. Elliott, - - - Proprietor.

The proprietor respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that the house will be conducted as a

First-Class Country Hotel,

In a manner to meet the approbation of all regular and transient guests.

THE TABLE

Will be supplied with the best substantials and delicacies to be had in this vicinity.

THE ROOMS

Are commodious, clean and pleasantly situated. au16tf

FAHY'S HOTEL,

Main street, Mill City, California.

Thos. M. Fahy, - - Proprietor.

I would respectfully inform the public that I am prepared to accommodate transient and permanent boarders. Neat rooms for ladies and families. The table is supplied with the best the market affords. Stages stop at the door going and returning. au16tf

A. KOHNER,

BAKERY AND BEER SALOON,

MAMMOTH CITY.

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FASHION STABLES,

John Bennett, - - Proprietor.

HAY, FEED AND GRAIN,

— AT —

REASONABLE RATES.

Saddle Horses can be obtained at any time. au16tf

R. D. ENRIGHT. J. F. MAYNE.

ENRIGHT & MAYNE,

Mammoth Avenue, Mammoth.

GENERAL MERCHANTS

And Dealers in

GROCERIES,
PROVISIONS,
CLOTHING,
LADIES' WEAR,
BOOTS AND SHOES.

☞ The Finest Assortment of

Wines and Liquors

Always on Hand, Wholesale and Retail. au16-tf

CONRAD HOTZ,

GENERAL PRODUCE DEALER,

Main street, Mammoth City, California.

ALSO DEALER IN

CIGARS,
TOBACCO,
CANDY,
STATIONERY,
FANCY GOODS.

Fresh Butter, Eggs, Vegetables etc., constantly on hand. au16tf

SALOONS.

R. CARNIKE. J. M'CARTHY.

MAMMOTH SALOON,

West side of Mammoth Avenue.

McCarthy & Carnike, Proprietors.

Largest and finest establisment in Southern Mono.

THE BAR

Is supplied with the best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, only.

BILLIARDS.

We have a new and elegant Billiard Table, of the latest and most approved pattern.

CLUB ROOMS.

The Club Rooms connected with this Saloon have been refitted and are worth a visit. au16tf McCARTHY & CARNRIKE.

CHARLES BALL,

(Known as Doc. Benjamin,)

Mammoth City, - - - Lake District.

I have completed a first-class

SALOON AND LODGING HOUSE

Situated in the central portion of town on Main street. In connection with the above, I have fitted up accommodations for horses and carriages; also a corral. Don't forget the place, but call and see me when you visit Lake District. my14tf

CHAS. SCHUMAN. JNO. F. KELLY.

KELLY & SCHUMAN'S SALOON,

Main Street, Mammoth City.

The bar is supplied with the best

Wines, Liquors and Choice Brands of Imported Cigars.

By courteous attention to all, we hope for a continuance of the liberal patronage extended us. my31tf

LEE'S SALOON,

Main Street, Mammoth City, and next door to Vince Higgins' Blacksmith Shop, and one door above the Stage Office.

☞ Finest Brands of

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

A Fine
BAGGATELLE TABLE
Forms Part of the Appointments. Drinks and Cigars 12½ Cents.

au16-tf C. A LEE, Proprietor.

FREEMAN'S SALOON,

Opposite Monumental Hotel, Mammoth City.

Liquors and Cigars 12½ Cents.

First Class in Every Respect.

This Saloon is Situated in the Central Part of Town, Opposite the Stage Office, and is Complete in all its appointments. Assay Office up stairs.

au16tf A. C. FREMAN, Proprietor.

MISCELLANEOUS.

I. N. NICHOLS,

CARPENTER AND BUILDER,

(Office with John Kopp.)

MAIN STREET, - MAMMOTH CITY.

Will take contracts for building at lowest rates—Estimates made. fe17tf

VINCENT HIGGINS,

BLACKSMITH & WAGONMAKER,

Mammoth Avenuve, Mammoth City.

Respectfully informs the public that he is prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing and wagon work in a neat and substantial manner. Mining and mill work done with promptness and dispatch. Horse-shoeing a specialty. Mining tools made to order, and satisfaction guaranteed.

au16-tf VINCENT HIGGINS.

DISSOLUTION

— OF —

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between I. B. Giles and V. Van Brasen, under the firm name of Giles & Van Brasen, of the Yosemite Saloon, has dissolved by mutual consent. I. B. Giles assumes all indebtedness of said firm.

V. VAN BRASEN,
I. B. GILES.

MAMMOTH, August 13, 1879.

PIONEER MARKET,

Hutchinson & Gill, - Proprietors.

Main Street, Mammoth City.

A choice assortment of Beef, Veal, Mutton, Pork, Etc., constantly on hand. au16tf

POLITICAL.

REGULAR

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET

The following are the nominations of he Democratic County Convention, held at Bridgeport on July 7, 1879, to be voted for at the next general election:

Member of Assembly,
I. G. MESSIC.

Superior Judge,
FRANK OWEN.

Sheriff,
M. D. KELLY.

County Clerk,
B. H. MILLER.

County Assessor,
CHARLES SCHUMAN.

County Treasurer,
Z. B. TINKUM.

District Attorney,
W. O. PARKER.

Superintendent of Public Instruction,
D. JEFFREYS.

Surveyor,
LEO A. SCOWDEN.

Supervisors,
D. V. GOODSON, Bodie,
E. P. ROBINSON.

Coroner and Public Administrator,
D. I. DEAL, M. D.

Justices of the Peace—Bodie Township,
A. H. GRISWOLD,
S. W. MOORE.

Constables—Bodie Township,
WILLIAM WITHROW,
P. C. COSTELLO.

Justices of the Peace—Lake Township,
A. J. GOULD,
JAMES WALES.

Constables—Lake District,
JOHN PATTIE,
WILLIAM BLACKMORE.

Justices of the Peace—Benton.
W. S. MERCER,
S. L. McNAUGHTON.

The following have been appointed a County Central Committee for the ensuing year, viz:

JOHN PATTIE, of Mammoth City,
P. C. COSTELLO, of Bodie.
R. G. WATKINS, of Antelope,
W. S. MERCER, of Benton,
D. JEFFRIES, of Bridgeport.

AT LARGE.

WILLIAM C. LOVE,
JOSEPH McDERMOTT,
JOHN O'DONNELL,
H. C. CALLAHAN,
B. H. MILLER,
WILLIAM WITHROW.

REGULAR

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

The following are the nominees of the Republican County Convention, held at Bridgeport on July 15, 1879, to be voted for at the general election, September 3, 1879:

State Senator,
DR. CHESTER ROWELL, of Fresno.

Member of Assembly,
JOSEPH WASSON.

Superior Judge,
HON. R. M. BRIGGS.

Sheriff,
JAMES SHOWERS.

County Clerk,
J. W. TOWLE.

County Assessor,
J. J. WELCH.

County Treasurer,
ANDREW ALLEN.

District Attorney,
E. W. TAYLOR.

County Surveyor,
J. G. THOMPSON,

Superintendent of Public Instruction.
W. T. ELLIOTT.

Supervisor,
C. H. WEST,

Coroner and Public Administrator,
T. BRODIGAN.

Justices of the Peace—Bodie Township.
R. L. PETERSON,
WM. RABJOHN.

Justices of the Peace—Mammoth Township,
JAS. LOWERY,
J. M. EDDY.

Constables—Mammoth City,
MICHAEL CODY,
B. F. BARTLETT.

Supervisor—Mammoth City.
J. W. RICE.

Constables—Bodie Township.
S. G. STEBBINS,
A. MAESTRETTI.

Justice of the Peace—Benton,

Constable—Benton,

The following have been appointed a County Central Committee for the ensuing year:

C. A. RICHARDSON, of Bodie.
J. M. DAWLEY, of Bodie.
THOS. T. COCHRAN, of Bodie.
G. W. ROWAN, of Mammoth.
J. M. STEWART, of Bridgeport.
G. H. WARDER, of Bodie.

AT LARGE.

O. T. BARBER. F. B. HESSELL. GEO. GILLSON.

GILLSON, BARBER & CO.,

BODIE, MONO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA,

Has opened a First-Class stock of General Merchandise at Lake Mining District, consisting of

MILL AND MINING SUPPLIES,

Hardware, Iron, Steel,
Picks, Handles,
Shovels, Nails,
Anvils, Vices, Etc.,
Coal, Lubricating and
Paint Oils,
Doors, Windows,
Locks and
House Furnishing Goods,
Stoves, Ranges, Tin and
Brittanala Ware,
Groceries,
Provisions,
Hams,
Bacon, Etc.

LIQUORS OF ALL KINDS AND BAR FIXTURES, ETC.

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND CAPS, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, ETC., ETC.

TIN, COPPER, AND SHEET-IRON WORK A SPECIALTY.

AIR-PIPE, SMOKE STACKS, WATER TANKS, ETC., MADE TO ORDER.

Hoping to receive a liberal patronage we guarantee satisfactisn.

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LAKE DISTRICT

— AND —

FRESNO FLATS

SADDLE TRAIN.

Leaves Mammoth City Tuesdays and Fridays at 5 A. M. Leaves Fresno Flats same day on arrival of the Medora stages. Twenty pounds of baggage free. Freight from Fresno Flats to Mammoth eight cents.

Fare to Fresno Flats.....$15 00
Fare to Medara..... 20 00
Fare to San Francisco..... 29 00

Single horses without guides furnished any day except Tuesdays and Fridays. The Saddle Train connects at Fresno Flats with the Medara stages.

N. B.—Round trip tickets, good for twenty days, at a discount.

au16tf JOHN F. KOPP, Agent.

REGULAR

WORKINGMEN'S COUNTY

TICKET.

The following are the nominations of the Workingmen's County Convention, held at Bodie on July 21, 1879, to be voted for at the general election, September 3, 1879:

Superior Judge,
J. L. GREELEY.

Sheriff,
JAMES FINLEY.

County Clerk,
HENRY D. BEQUETTE.

County Assessor,
A. SODERLING.

County Treasurer,
B. PEELER.

Superintendent of Public Instruction,
MISS IDA IRISH.

Coroner and Public Administrator,
DR. VAN ZANDT.

Supervisor,
H. BOONE.

Justices of the Peace—Bodie Township,
ROBERT MEINKE,
T. P. WALL.

Constables—Bodie Township.
JAMES HARRINGTON.
JAMES MULLIGAN.

FREIGHTING.

THE CERRO GORDO

Freighting Company

WILL RUN TEAMS INTO

MAMMOTH CITY,

And can deliver freight from San Francisco by way of Mohave.

All goods marked C. G. CO., will be forwarded with dispatch.

Address: R. NADEAU, Mohave.

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MAMMOTH STEAM SAW MILL,

MAMMOTH CITY,

LAKE DISTRICT, CALIFORNIA.

This mill is now in successful operation and is prepared to turn out all sorts of

MINING TIMBERS,

BUILDING MATERIAL

of every description,

SHINGLES, RUSTIC,

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